

REMARKS

The undersigned wishes to express his appreciation for Examiner Ho's time and attention provided during a telephone interview on March 17, 2004. The Examiner proposed amending claim 10 by deleting "said release mechanism" to correct a typographical error and place the application in condition for allowance. Claim 10 has been amended to correct the noted informality and to correct other minor grammatical errors as well. Claim 8 has been amended also to delete text for clarification and new claims 25-28 are submitted for consideration. Further, amendments to the specification have been made for clarification and to update the status of cited patent applications. No new matter is believed to be introduced by way of this amendment.

Applicants respectfully request the issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date. If a telephone interview would advance prosecution of the application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided below.

In the unlikely event that the transmittal letter is separated from this document and/or the Patent Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, Applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due, including additional claims fees, in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 50-1947 referencing Attorney Docket No. CSI-2013.

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